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**Sent:** 6/2/2016 7:34:46 PM  
**To:** Bucher, John (NIH/NIEHS) [E] [bucher@niehs.nih.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: Ramazzini Institute beginning 3 year study of glyphosate toxicity

Very good to know. And thanks!!

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**From:** Bucher, John (NIH/NIEHS) [E] [mailto:bucher@niehs.nih.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 02, 2016 3:33 PM  
**To:** Flowers, Lynn <Flowers.Lynn@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Ramazzini Institute beginning 3 year study of glyphosate toxicity

Hi Lynn, we haven't been fortunate enough to be contacted by the FMELC, but may have overlooked in all the others. Appreciate the websites for the RI glyphosate study. I was discussing this with Fiorella this morning and hadn't realized they had secured funding. They have abandoned to GMO wing of the study, which would have been nearly impossible to accomplish anyway.

Congrats on what appears to be a new position.  
Best, John

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**From:** "Flowers, Lynn" <Flowers.Lynn@epa.gov>  
**Date:** Thursday, June 2, 2016 at 2:22 PM  
**To:** "John R. Bucher" <bucher@niehs.nih.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: Ramazzini Institute beginning 3 year study of glyphosate toxicity

Hi John: It's been a long time since we talked! Just in case you don't know about the planned work by Ramazzini.... Also, we got a FOIA from the Free Market Environmental Law Clinic....asking for everything related to Ramazzini back to 2008. Did you get one too?

Note new phone number! ☺.

Lynn

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"Beginning in May this year, Italy's independent Ramazzini Institute in Bologna, Italy will begin preparing a long-term self-funded research study into the effects of glyphosate on rats and on modelling effects on the embryo of pregnant women."  
<http://journal-neo.org/2016/04/15/dramatic-turn-in-brussels-glyphosate-battle/>

<http://www.gmwatch.org/news/latest-news/16803-italy-s-ramazzini-institute-to-probe-glyphosate-safety>  
[http://healthandenvironment.org/uploads/Belpoggi\\_Slides.pdf](http://healthandenvironment.org/uploads/Belpoggi_Slides.pdf)

[http://healthandenvironment.org/partnership\\_calls/18423](http://healthandenvironment.org/partnership_calls/18423)

I am not sure if the Ramazzini work is related to the “Factor GMO study” that includes glyphosate that was announced a couple of years ago but made it into the press today—but Fiorella Belpoggi (from the Ramazzini Institute) is associated with that effort too so I am assuming that they are one and the same.

<http://factorgmo.com/en/>

<http://panswiss.org/newsroom/unprecedented-gmo-and-glyphosate-study/>

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